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Docket No.: CBT001A Serial No.: 08/914,299 Date: 12/15/97  
By: \_\_\_\_\_ Filing Date: 8/18/97 Express Mail No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Inventor(s): THOMAS ET AL.  
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PERFORMING THERMAL  
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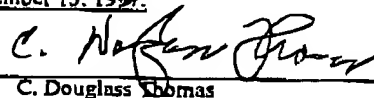
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  
The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining After <u>Amendment</u>	Highest Previously <u>Paid For</u>	Present <u>Extra</u>	<u>SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE</u>	OR	<u>LARGE ENTITY RATE FEE</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	<u>20</u> -	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>	X11 = \$	OR	X22 = \$
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- ☐ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 08-2120.
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